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The Pennſylvania GAZETTE.

Containing the freſheſt Advices Foreign and Domeſtick.

Remainder of the Extract from the Votes and Proceedings of the Aſſembly of the Maſſachuſetts-Bay.

Sabbati 30 *Die Auguſti*, A. D. 1740.

Voted, That the following Meſſage be ſent up to His Excellency the Governor, *viz.*

May it pleaſe your Excellency,

THis Houſe ſo ſoon as they met in *May* laſt, and the great Affair of the Expedition to the *Weſt-Indies* was mentioned to them, very chearfully, out of their Zeal for His Majeſty's Honour and Service, came into a Reſolve to give a Bounty of *five Pounds* to each effectual able bodied Man, who ſhould inliſt himſelf, not exceeding the Number of one Thouſand.

But this was done at a Time when they apprehended that the Levies expected by His Majeſty from *America* might not otherwiſe without Difficulty be obtained. And it was done alſo in full Expectation that all who inliſted might be under Commiſſion and have Arms; but it never was once imagin'd that one Thouſand Men ſhould go, whether they had Commiſſions or Arms ſent or not. And it is indeed ſo ſhocking to ſend away ſeveral Hundreds of our Men on an Expedition, without one commanding Officer for their Conduct, and without one Firelock for their Defence, that this Houſe can by no Means think it convenient to procure Tranſports and Proviſions for them.

At the Review of the Levies on the twenty-ſixth Inſtant, the Members of this Houſe were much ſurpriz'd to find, inſtead of ten Companies compleat, that there were but Nine appear'd at all, altho' they were notified that then they ſhould receive their Bounty: And we beg Leave to obſerve to your Excellency, that ſeveral of thoſe Nine Companies had but about ſixty or ſeventy Men each.

The Houſe therefore upon the whole, can't but apprehend it moſt for the Honour and Service of the Crown, that the four Companies which have Commiſſions and Arms, ſhould be, if your Excellency pleaſes, inſtantly ſent forward; and that the Men inliſted in the other Companies, receive their Bounty Money and Subſiſtence only to this Time.

Mercurii 3. *Die Septembris*, 1740.

A Meſſage from His Excellency the Governor, by Mr. Deputy Secretary, *viz.*

Gentlemen of the Houſe of Repreſentatives,

I Obſerve to you on your Meſſages of the 26th and 30th of *Auguſt*, that the Ten Companies rais'd in this Province for the intended Expedition to the Spaniſh *Weſt-Indies*, are now near compleated, and will be ready to proceed, as ſoon as you have done, on your Part, what is neceſſary to fulfil the Engagements enter'd into by this whole Government, that is, your making the further needful Proviſion for their Victualling and Tranſportation.

This great Affair has been all along conducted according to His Majeſty's Orders to me, and agreable to the ſeveral Reſolutions of this whole Government; and all the Steps I have taken herein, have been by the Advice of His Majeſty's Council.

Therefore I can't think it proper to take under Conſideration any Meſſages from your Houſe, than ſuch as may relate to the raiſing what more Money may be neceſſary for the Diſpatch of the Troops.

Sept. 3d, 1740. *J. BELCHER.*

On a Motion made and ſeconded by divers Members, *Voted*, that Judge Greaves, Mr. Hutchinſon, Mr. Cuſhing, Col. Chandler and Mr. Watts, with ſuch as ſhall be joined by the Honourable Board, be a Committee to conſider what they judge proper for this Court to do, reſpecting the ſix Companies rais'd within this Province, who have not receiv'd the King's Arms, and whoſe Officers have not their Commiſſions from His Majeſty; the Committee to report as ſoon as may be.

Sent up for Concurrence.

Veneris 5. *Die Septembris*, 1740.

Samuel Welles, Eſq; brought down the Report of a Committee ſigned Edward Hutchinſon, per Order, viz.

'That in as much as a conſiderable Number of Perſons have inliſted themſelves in his Majeſty's Service in the Expedition to the Weſt-Indies, in Expectation of receiving the Bounty promis'd by this Court, and alſo of being under Officers Commiſſion'd by his Majeſty, and of receiving their Arms, agreable to the Proclamation for encouraging of ſaid Inliſtment; and it has been repreſented to this Court, that many of ſaid Perſons are unwilling to proceed in ſaid Service, ſince their Officers have not received Commiſſions; and the Men are not provided with Arms: Therefore

That his Excellency be deſir'd to appoint meet and diſintereſted Perſons to make publick Declaration to each Company as ſoon as may be, that all Perſons who have inliſted as aforeſaid, and are not under Officers Commiſſion'd by his Majeſty, and who have not receiv'd their Arms,

Arms, may forthwith return to their ſeveral Homes, if they ſee Cauſe; and that ſaid Perſons are notwithſtanding intitled to the Bounty of Five Pounds promis'd by this Court, and to their Subſiſtence until the time of making the ſaid Declaration: And that all ſuch Perſons as have inliſted and ſhall freely incline to continue in his Majeſty's Service, ſhall have Liberty to inliſt anew under ſuch Captain as they ſhall chuſe, whether ſuch as have Commiſſions from his Majeſty, or Certificates only from the Governor.

And the Committee further Report, that it is convenient that further needful Proviſion be made by this Court for the Subſiſting and Tranſporting of ſo many Companies as ſhall be compleated in a free manner by Tueſday the ninth Inſtant.

In Council *September* 5th 1740. Read and ſent down.
Read and *Ordered*, that this Report be accepted.
Sent up for Concurrence.

LONDON, July 3.

A Letter from New Caſtle dated June 29.

ON Thurſday ſe'night, about Five in the Morning, a great Riot began in this Town on Account of the Cornfactors keeping up the Price of Grain, which ſo alarm'd the Magiſtrates and Inhabitants, that the Militia was immediately rais'd, and the Rioters in ſome Meaſure brought to Reaſon by the indefatigable Care and Good Conduct of Mr. Alderman Ridley, (Son of the worthy Alderman of that Name) upon his promiſing them (after conſulting with the Factors) that they ſhould have Corn at a much lower Rate than was now ſet upon it, and that he would ſupply all that work'd under him with Money to purchaſe, and doubted not but that the other Coal Owners would do the ſame. This had the good Effect intended, and all were pacify'd for the preſent.

On Friday, upon the Repreſentation of the aforeſaid Alderman, the Factors ſet a Price on their Grain, and declar'd all that apply'd ſhould have it at the Rate fix'd: Upon which the Alderman, at the Head of the Militia, made open Declaration to the Multitude aſſembled, of the ſame, at which they were ſo well pleas'd that he was almoſt idoliz'd by them, as well as univerſally applauded by the Town; and ſo all went to ſleep in Peace that Night, the Militia ſtill being kept up.

On Saturday the Pitmen, Keelmen, and the Poor of the Place, made Application for Corn at the Price promis'd; but the voracious Factors were ſo far from ſtanding to their Words that they kept their Shops ſhut, and moſt of them abſconded for fear of the Rioters, and no Corn could be got except what they plunder'd from the Granaries, in which they made ſad Havock. This very much diſtreſs'd the poor Alderman, and even put him to his Wits End; for he knew not what to ſay to the Diſtreſs'd, to whom the Factors had no more Regard than they had to their Promiſe to him, ſo was oblig'd to withdraw for the preſent.

On Sunday, Monday, and Tueſday, the Militia being ſtill up, and the Rioters pretty well diſpers'd, nothing material happen'd except the Diſcovery of a Veſſel in the River going off with Rye, which was ſtopp'd, in order to ſupply the Poor at the Price fix'd, and ſome were accordingly ſerved.

On Wenſday (the Militia being ſtill up, thought every thing pretty quiet) the Alderman headed a new rais'd Company of Gentlemen, on purpoſe to ſhew the Rioters, if they made any more Diſturbance, it was in the Power of the Town to ſubdue them, which gave great Satisfaction to many of this Place. But unhappily in the Evening (for what Reaſon his Worſhip is beſt Judge) the Mayor diſbanded the Militia, and wou'd not ſuffer even the Alderman, with his Company, to keep Guard, which the Rioters took Advantage of. And

On Thurſday morning they again aſſembled on the Standhill; upon which the Mayor, the above Alderman, and ſeveral other Gentlemen, met at the Guildhall, in order to conſult what Meaſures to take at that critical Juncture. Betwixt Eleven and Twelve the Rioters were outrageous; upon which the Alderman propos'd to defend the Rye Ship on the Key while the Poor were ſupply'd; which was agreed to, and he accordingly ventur'd himſelf among the Rioters to let them know the ſame; but had like to have fallen a Sacrifice to their Rage on account of their former Diſappointment, which was out of his Power to help: He was knock'd down and much wounded, which occaſion'd ſome Gentlemen (tho' he earneſtly call'd to them not to do it) to fire, and one of the Rioters was kill'd on the Spot, and ſeveral others dangerouſly wounded, the Alderman narrowly eſcaping with his own Life. They then fell upon all the Gentlemen in the Hall, and dangerouſly wounded moſt of them, tho' none are yet dead; ſome of them took pity on the Mayor and conducted him to his Houſe, one on each ſide and another with a drawn Sword before him, the poor Gentleman not being able to ſtand: After which they return'd to their Brethren, whom they found ranſacking the Guildhall, Town's Court and Chamber, deſtroying and defacing every thing about thoſe places, not even the Town's Books and Accompts eſcaping them. About three they were joyn'd by the Men of Crawley's Factory at

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Wallwell, when they entirely finiſh'd the Ruin of that Place, by robbing the Town's Hutch of near 1800 l. Then they patroll'd about the Town the remaining part of the Day, all the Shops being ſhut, and nothing but Horror and Diſmay appearing in every Countenance, threatning to burn and deſtroy the whole Place, which we have great Reaſon to believe would have been effected, had not (about nine in the Evening) three Companies of Major General Howard's Regiment from Berwick enter'd the Town and providentially reliev'd us. They were commanded by Capt. Sowell, a brave and well-belov'd Officer, whom the Rioters had the Impudence to meet and even took hold of the Horſe's Bridle; but he giving the Word of Command, ſo terrifi'd them, that they fled with the utmoſt Precipitation and Confuſion, without any Blood being ſhed.

Upwards of Forty of them are already taken, and many more will, ſo that we are like to have fine work the next Aſſizes; but the Judges will have a ſhatter'd Place to try them in.

P. S. The Rioters have almoſt deſtroy'd all the Arms in the Town, ſo that it had been defenceleſs if the Soldiers had not come to its Relief.

Newport, Rhode-Iſland, Sept 19.

Laſt Lord's Day arrived here the Rev. Mr. *George Whitefield*, from South-Carolina, who preached two excellent Sermons on Monday in the Church of England, in the Forenoon from thoſe Words in Rom. 14. 17. And in the Afternoon from John 17. 3. On Tueſday he preach'd twice in the Forenoon from the 2 Cor 5. 17. in the Afternoon from Luke 18. 14. And in the Evening of both the Days, he entertain'd a vaſt Number of People of ſeveral Denominations with Exhortations in private. Great Numbers of People flock'd from all Quarters both in Town and Country to hear his Sermons and Exhortations, and many of them could not refrain ſhedding Tears. He ſet out from hence for Boſton on Wenſday Morning.

BOSTON, September 22.

Laſt Thurſday the Rev. Mr. *WHITEFIELD* arrived by Land from *Rhode-Iſland*, being met on the Road and conducted to Town by ſeveral Gentlemen. The next Day in the Forenoon he attended Prayers in the King's Chappel, and in the Afternoon he preach'd to a vaſt Congregation in the Rev. Dr. *Coleman's* Meeting-Houſe. The next day he preach'd in the Forenoon at the South Church to a crowded Audience, and in the Afternoon to about 5000 People on the Common: And Yeſterday in the Afternoon having preach'd to a great Number of People at the old Brick Church, the Houſe not being large enough to hold the People that crowded to hear him, when the Exerciſe there was over he went and preach'd in the Field, to at leaſt 8000 Perſons.

Two of the Companies raiſed within this Province for the intended Expedition againſt the Spaniards, viz. Capt. Philips, and Capt. Stuart's, embark'd on board two of the Tranſports laſt Week; and the other three, viz Capt. Goffe's, Capt. Preſcot's and Capt. Winſlow's will embark this Day or to morrow, and forthwith proceed on their Voyage to Virginia.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the FAIR will be held at Wilmington the 24th of this Inſtant October.

PHILADELPHIA, Octob. 2.

Yeſterday being the anniverſary Day of Election throughout this Province, for Repreſentatives, Sheriffs, Coroners, &c. the following Gentlemen were choſen,

For *Philadelphia* County: Repreſentatives, *Thomas Leech, Robert Jones, John Kinſey, Iſaac Norris, Edward Warner, James Morris, Joſeph Trotter, Owen Evans.* Sheriffs, *Mordecai Lloyd, Septimus Robinſon.* Coroners, *Owen Owen, David Evans.* Commiſſioner, *Edward Bradley.* Aſſeſſors, *Samuel Lane, Jacob Livering, John Dilwyn, Evan Thomas, Jeremiah Elfrith, James Jones.*

For *Bucks* County: Repreſentatives, *John Hall, Mark Watſon, John Watſon, Abraham Chapman, Benjamin Field, Thomas Canby*, jun. *Mahlon Kirkbride, Jeremiah Langhorne.* Sheriffs, *Joſeph Yates, Joſeph Jackſon.* Coroners, *William Atkinſon, Benjamin Tayler.* Commiſſioner, *John Hutchinſon.* Aſſeſſors, *Bartholomew Longſtreth, Garrard Vanſand, Cephas Child, Robert Smith, Adam Harker, Edward Roberts.*

For *Cheſter* County: *Thomas Chandler, Joſeph Harvey, James Gibbons, William Hughes, Samuel Levis, John Owen, Jeremiah Starr, Thomas Tatnel.* Sheriffs, *Benjamin Davies, Thomas Marſhal.* Commiſſioner, *William Jefferies.* Coroners, *Awbrey Bevan, Samuel Bittle.* Aſſeſſors, *John Allen, Daniel Walker, John Yarnal, Thomas Morgan, James Jeffreys, Robert Miller.*

The next Day the following Gentlemen were choſen for *Philadelphia* City, *viz.* Burgeſſes, *Iſrael Pemberton, John Kearſley.* City Aſſeſſors, *Richard Parker, John Stamper, Edmund Wooley, Joſeph Oldman, Jonathan Zane, Philip Syng.*

The Names of thoſe choſen for Lancaſter *County, and the* Three Lower Counties, *are not yet come to Hand.*

We hear from Cheſter County, that on Friday laſt died there John Parry, Eſq; High Sheriff of that County, much regretted by a numerous Acquaintance.

From all Parts of the Country we hear, that the Bears begin to come down in greater Numbers than uſual, and are daily ſeen among the Plantations. Laſt Week a large one was kill'd in Blockley Townſhip, not far from this City, by Thomas Wynne; it was cut up and ſold in our Market, and weigh'd upwards of 200 lb.

Cuſtom-Houſe, Philadelphia, *Entred Inwards.*

Scooner Swan, Leſter Falconar, from Liſbon.
Sloop Triton, James Hodges, from Boſton.
Ship Lydia, James Allan, from Deale.
Sloop Dolphin, Benjamin Cudworth, from Rhode-Iſland.
Sloop Francis, Benjamin Butterfield, from Antigua.
Brigt. Delaware, Burgiſs Hall, from Liſbon.
Snow Rebecca, James Reaſon, from New-Caſtle.
Ship Samuel and Elizabeth, William Chilton, from Deale.
Brigt. Nancey, David Davis, from Liſbon.
Brigt. Defiance, John Hammond, from Rhode-Iſland.

Entred Out.

Snow Mulberry, William Grieves, for Briſtol.
Sloop John Williams, Hampton Hopkins, for Maryland.
Sloop Dolphin, Benjamin Cudworth, for Rhode-Iſland.
Sloop Speedwell, Conſtantine Hughs, for Virginia.
Sloop Bredah, Habbakuk Harris, for Barbados.
Snow Molly Thomas Oliphant, for Jamaica.
Sloop Charming Sally, David Hall, Rhode-Iſland.
Sloop Triton, James Hodges, for Dublin.

Cleared.

Scooner Enterprize, Triſtram Gardner, to Jamaica.
Scooner Adventure, Charles Lemoyne, to Boſton.
Scooner Charming Molly, John Murray, to Cape-Fear.
Sloop Mary, Cornelius Hinſon, to Barbados.

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RUN away last Night, from on board the Sloop Triton, James Hodges, Master, two Indian Men Servants, viz. One named Jeremiah Robin, of middle Stature, well set, flat Nose, strait short Hair, about 30 Years of Age: Had on an homespun Jacket, cotton check'd shirt, and ozenbrigs Trowsers. The other named Nehemiah Robin, something shorter than the other, short Hair, aged obout 24; Had on the same sort of Clothing as the other.

Whoever takes up and secures said Indians, so that their Master may have them again, shall have *Twenty Shillings* Reward, paid by

James Hodges.

Very good RAISINS to be sold by Nathan *and* Isaac Levy *in* Front-Street, Philadelphia.

THE Free-School of Kent County in Mrayland, being vacant by the Death of the late Master, the Visitors of the same School do hereby give Notice, that any Person, being a Member of the Church of England, of good Reputation, capable of Teaching Grammar, Writing, and Mathematicks, and well recommended, who shall apply to the said Visitor at Chester Town, in the same County, before the last of October next, may meet with suitable Encouragement, and be preferred to the same School.

RUN away the 15th of this Inst. from *Enoch Anderson* of the City of *Philadelphia*, Innkeeper, an Irish Servant Man named *John Donelan*, of middle Stature, well set, speaks good English but thick; had on when he went away, an old dark Kersey Jacket, and an old Plannen Jacket under it; had also with him two Coats, the one dark Irish Cloth, the other Linnen; two *Germantown* Check linnen Shirts, and four white Shirts, two pair of Stockings, one thread, the other worsted, of a light Colour; good Shoes, three pair of Breeches, the one Ozenbrigs, the other Serge much mended, and the other dark Coarse Kersey. He wears a Wig or linnen Cap and a Felt Hat: he pretends he has been a Tavernkeeper in Dublin. Whoever takes up and secures the said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall have *Three Pounds* Reward and reasonable Charges paid by *Enoch Anderson.*

PAINTING done in the best Manner, by GUSTAVUS HESSELIUS, from Stockholm, and JOHN WINTER, from London, viz. Coats of Arms drawn on Coaches, Chaises, *&c.* or any other kind of Ornaments, Landskips, Signs, Shew-boards, Ship and House Painting, Gilding of all Sorts, Writing in Gold or Colour, old Pictures clean'd and mended, *&c.*

A Large Parcel of fresh DRUGS Imported in the last Ship from London, to be sold very Cheap by wholesale or Retail, at the Sign of the Paracelsus Head and Gally Pot, in Market-Street, over against the Presbyterian Meeting House, in Philadelphia, by WILLIAM SHIPPEN, Chymist.

Notice is hereby given,

THat if the Heir or Heirs of *George Elkintong*, late of Northampton in the County of Burlington, New-Jersey, be now living; on their applying to the Printer hereof, they may hear of something to their Advantage.

TO BE SOLD,

BY James Oswald in Front-Street, at the House of Mr. Joseph Turner, and by William Wallace, at the upper End of Second-Street, Philadelphia, double and single refin'd Loaf Sugar, Sugar Candy, Mellasses, *&c.*

JUST IMPORTED,

A Likely Parcel of Servant Men, and to be SOLD reasonably, by Richard Farmer, lately removed to the Unicorn, in Second-Street: Where he sells all Sorts of medicinal Drugs, as usual.

JUST PUPLISHED,

(Particularly recommended by the Rev. Mr. Whitefield)

ERskine's GOSPEL SONNETS.

Printed and Sold by B. Franklin.

Just Imported from *South Carolina*,

A PARCEL of young Negro Slaves of both Sexes, and to be sold very reasonably for ready Money by William Brisbane, at Mr. Samuel Austin's at the Lower end of Mulberry Street, commonly call'd Arch-Street, Philadelphia.

This is to give Notice,

THAT MALTING will be carried on, this Season, at the NEW MALTING-HOUSE, *Spring-Garden*, near *Philadelphia*, in the best Manner; Where any Person may have their Barley malted, or exchanged for Malt, by *Richard Farrard.*

Also, to be LETT,

A very good dwelling HOUSE, at the aforesaid *Spring-Garden.* Enquire of said *Richard Farrard.*

By Order of the Honourable the Rector, Governors and Visitors of the Free-School in the City of Annapolis, in the Province of Maryland, Sept. 2. 1740.

THis is to give Notice, that the said Rector, Governors and Visitors intend to meet in the said City on Thursday the 23d of October next, in order to make Choice of a Master and Usher, for the said School. Any Person or Persons, who are qualified for those Places, and shall then make their Application, will meet with all proper Encouragement. WILLIAM ROGERS, Reg.

Now in the Press and will Speedily be Published,

REMARKS on the several Passages of Mr. WHITEFIELD's Sermons, Journals and Letters, which seem unsound and erroneous and very liable to Exceptions; with several Queries on the Remarks by some Friends to the Truths of the Gospel.

Just Imported in the Ship Mary Ann,

A PARCEL of likely Men and Women SERVANTS; whose Times are to be disposed of by Davey & Carson, at their House near Powel's Wharffe, over the Draw-Bridge: Where any Person may be furnish'd with great Variety of White and Check Linnens, Sail Canvas, Lead, earthen Ware, Smith's Coal, and fine Salt, at reasonable Rates, for ready Money, or short Credit.

N. B. The Men Servants are for the most part Tradesmen.

Just published,

A LETTER to Mr. Ebenezer Kinnersly from his Friend in the Country, in Answer to his two Letters lately published.

RUN away from on board the Prince of Orange Robert Williamson, Master, on the 19th Sept, a Servant Man, named William Ryan, by Trade a Shoemaker, he is an elderly Man, with Freckles in his Face: He had on him, a light Wigg, speckled Shirt, new frize Jacket split behind, blue waistcoat, shagg Breeches, new brown yarn Stockings, and new Shoes. Whoever secures the said Servant, so that he may be had again, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by *Richard Farmer.*

To be SOLD to the Highest Bidder,

On *Wednesday* the 15th of *October*, at the House of *Thomas Barnes* in *Trenton*, at the Hour of Three in the Afternoon:

A *TRACT of Land and Meadow, containing* 2237 *Acres, lying in* Paquease *in* Hunterdon *County, in* West New-Jersey, *bounded on the North by Esq;* John Reading's *Land, on the East by* Daniel Coxe's, *Esq; and on the West by Mr.* Joseph Kelby's. *Any Persons inclinable to purchase the same, may be further informed by* Thomas Glentworth, *at his House in* Market-Street, Philadelphia, *anytime before the Sale.*

To be SOLD, by TENCH FRANCIS,

At his Store almost opposite to Peter Stretch's, Philadelphia:

OZnabrigs, Duck, Muslins of all sorts, Cambricks in Pieces and Patches, Callicoes, India Damasks, Taffities and Persians, Cambletts, Duroys, Callimancoes, worsted Damasks, Nails, Scyths, Gun-powder, Lead, Writing Paper course and fine, Warming Pans, London single and double refin'd Sugar, Edgings, Childrens French Caps and Wires, Carolina and Felt Hats, Fans very fine and course, Nuns Threads extream fine and middling, Isingham Hollands, romal Handkerchiefs, Bohea Tea, silk Ferrits, Quality and Galloon, Ribbons, Spices of all Sorts, sewing Silks, with many other small Merchandizes.

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